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Because God loves you, He Provides- Part 11

Did you know that God loves you more than anyone else could ever love you?

God proves His love to you all the time by providing **His goodness** to you. **Psalm 27:13-14**, "I remain confident of this: I will see the goodness of the LORD in the land of the living. Wait patiently for the LORD."

The *goodness* of the LORD has been spoken of in the past few years with this phrase: *God is good all the time; and all the time God is good!* King David was looking to God in Psalm 27. He was going through a difficult time in his life. Yes, even those in high places face sorrow, adversity, and personal struggles. No amount of money, prestige, or affluence can keep anyone from facing the hardships of this life. But the greatest blessing is that in the midst of the hurting, pain, suffering and trials; God is there and He is good. In fact He is good all the time. So David proclaims his faith in the one Who is always faithful; the LORD God.

Beloved, no matter how bad things seem to be, we have a Father Who is watching over us; One Who love us more than we can comprehend, and the One Who provides all that we could ever need. Phil. 4:19, "And my God shall supply all that you need according to the riches of His glory in Christ Jesus." Not according to what this world thinks is so important, but according to the riches of His glory in Christ Jesus. That means that whatever God provides for you will always be much better than anything this world could do for you. That is what Matt. 6:33 exhorts us to do: But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. If you recall the parable of the prodigal son; when the son returned home, he was not only welcomed, he was celebrated. His father loved him so much, that he couldn't help but celebrate his return. James 1:17 reminds us that every good and perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights. That is Who God is and that is what God does. He gives His goodness over and over and over again. Can you say it with me and truly mean it? God is good all the time; and all the time God is good!

Dear Father, thank You for Your goodness. You are always good. You give because you are good. Your great love is shown in Your goodness to us. You are good LORD. In Jesus Name, Amen